

## MANY TICKETS IN THE FIELD

PROSPECT OF FIVE TICKETS IN THE NEXT CAMPAIGN—COLONEL LAUKEA TO RUN FOR SUPERVISOR ON THE DEMOCRATIC TICKET. COUNTY ATTORNEY DOUTHITT WILL NOT TRY FOR A SECOND TERM.

Political candidates are in training in every block in Honolulu, judging by the reports of preparations for the coming campaign. The present indications are that unless various elements now going it alone get together there will be more tickets in the field than ever before. The anti-saloon element talk of putting up a ticket, and the Civic Federation members are watching the situation closely with a view to possible naming of a ticket. With this Republican, Democratic and Home Rule tickets, this will make five.

The anti-saloon league is attempting to stir up a campaign along its own lines, and if it does not get satisfaction from either of the regular parties, it proposes to enlist the temperance element in an independent movement. It is claimed that the past few years have shown a marked letting down of regulations regarding the liquor traffic and that Honolulu is on the way to becoming a "wide open" town, where there is a temperature "howl."

High Sheriff Henry is being discussed for sheriff. Brown, it is said does not want to run again, and Crabbe, his former competitor for the Republican nomination, is another man who is likely to be out for a nomination. Both Crabbe and Henry have very strong opposition.

County Attorney Douthitt will not be a candidate for re-election, according to present indications, and so there will have to be a change in that office. Douthitt says he is not enjoying his job and wishes his term was up now, as the work seems to somewhat outrun the salary.

Col. C. P. Laukea will be a democratic candidate for supervisor, whether at large or from his district is a matter to be settled, but the colonel has practically decided to run. Achi wants to run as a Republican supervisor.

## IMMIGRANT LAW SUSTAINED

JUDGE DE BOLT HOLDS THAT LABOR SOLICITATION ACT IS VALID.

Judge De Bolt this morning gave a decision sustaining the act of the last legislature, providing that agents who solicit laborers for other lands must secure licenses. The law was attacked by George D. Gear, as counsel for Salto, who was arrested at Lahaina for trying to employ Japs to go to California.

De Bolt sustained the demurred interposed by Gear, but he did it on the ground that the warrant did not state specifically enough what the charge was. At the same time he overruled other grounds set forth and held that the act was valid. Salto was at once arrested on an amended warrant and will appear in court on Friday to plead.

**WAIMAEA SUGAR MILL COMPANY.**  
The annual meeting of the Waimaea Sugar Mill Company was held at the offices of Castle & Cooke this afternoon when the following were elected officers: E. D. Tenney, president; H. P. Faye, vice-president; W. Pfenhauer, secretary; W. A. Bowen, treasurer; W. E. Rowell, director; A. Richard Robinson, auditor.


**HAWAIIAN KENNEL CLUB.**  
The Hawaiian Kennel Club decided last evening to join the American Kennel Association. It was further decided to hold the bench show next December. The question of inviting the Poultry Association to hold a joint show was discussed but abandoned, as also was the proposition to bring judges from the coast. The club will meet again March 15 when Job Batchelor will read a paper.

James Whitney, a member of the club, has recently imported a thoroughbred pointer bitch from the mainland and is expecting another thoroughbred from Australia.

**RESUMED PRACTICE.**  
George D. Gear has opened law offices in the rooms formerly occupied by Justice Hatch on Kaahumanu street. Telephone Main 214.

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## BASEBALL MEN IN GOOD SHAPE

ALL FIVE TEAMS WILL BE IN A POSITION TO GIVE GOOD ACCOUNTS OF THEMSELVES.

From present appearances the old fans will have no difficulty in recognizing the different baseball teams when they line up for the first games during the coming season. There will be few changes in the personnel of the five teams, for five teams there will be despite the facts that the Elks are going out of the game.

Perhaps the Kama will be the most changed for Jack Desha is going over to the Punahou and the necessity of a new short stop will probably be filled from the schools. Captain Lemon is going to step out and Reuter will replace him. Robert Leslie it is expected, will play third and there may be two other changes.

As far as can be seen the same old H. A. C. team will be in line strengthened however by Joe Fernandez their old center who has returned from the coast.

The Elks will be known as the Oahu but the team will be the same with the possible addition of Gorman as catcher. Jess Woods who has done good work at first for the Punahou is understood to be through with the game and will play from the grandstand hereafter though that is by no means certain as he may be persuaded to remain.

Practically all five teams will be in good fettle and a most successful season is looked for. The meeting of the league this afternoon will settle the date of the beginning of the season. The league is in a most health condition financially, the grounds are free of encumbrance and there is no reason why the coming season should not be the most successful in the league's history.

**A STORY THAT WASN'T.**  
A rumor current this morning was to the effect that the Pacific Mail Steamship Company was seeking to acquire the old fishmarket property at the foot of Alakea street to use as a site for warehouses. Superintendent of Public Works Holloway, who has charge of the market stated that he had heard nothing of the matter and Captain Klebahn of Haddock & Co. also said that there was nothing in the rumor.

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## MUST MAKE REPARATION

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)

PEKING, February 28.—The Chinese government has instructed the governor of Nan Chang to severely punish the participants in the recent massacre of French Jesuit priests and British people. The government has also declared its willingness to make reparation for the outrages perpetrated by the Chinese rioters.

## RECIPROCITY WITH GERMANY

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 28.—President Roosevelt has issued a proclamation imposing rates of duties as provided for in Section 3 of the Dingley Tariff Act, upon imports to this country from Germany. This action is taken in return for Germany's recent concession on her tariff rates on United States products.

## SAN DOMINGO TREATY

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 28.—The Senate Committee on Foreign Relations has agreed to favorably report the amended treaty between San Domingo and the United States.

**REAR ADMIRALS RETIRE TODAY.**  
WASHINGTON, D. C., February 28.—Rear Admirals Chester and Chadwick retired from active service today, their names being placed on the retired list of admirals of the United States Navy.

**QUIET RESTORED IN SPRINGFIELD.**  
SPRINGFIELD, Ohio, February 28.—Quiet has been restored here by the militia and there is no longer any danger of the white people raiding the negro quarter of the city.

**CHINESE COMMISSION IS WELCOMED.**  
PORT TOWNSEND, February 28.—The Chinese Commission was welcomed here today.

## MAY IMPROVE MIDWAY SAND GRASS FOR KAKAOKO

DEPARTMENT HAS REQUESTED LOAN OF ARMY ENGINEER TO SURVEY WELLES HARBOR.

There is a possibility that the Navy Department may establish a coaling and general station at Midway. The Department has requested the loan of the services of an engineer from the Board of Army Engineers to go to Midway and make borings for the purpose of ascertaining the character of bottom at Welles Harbor, Midway.

The Navy Department is desirous of learning what the cost of deepening and making a harbor at Welles Harbor will be. The money has been appropriated for this survey. Lieutenant Slattery reported in his annual report on the matter against the construction of a harbor at that place, so far as commercial purposes were concerned, but he stated that the construction of such a harbor might be necessary in event of the Navy Department desiring to establish a coaling station or if the improvement were thought necessary in connection with strategic considerations. The Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors incorporated Slattery's recommendations in its report to Congress.

Slattery may make the trip to Midway on the U. S. S. Iroquois this spring. In event of his not going there however, one of the men from his office will go.

## Big Vessels For Service

NEW NAVY REGISTER SHOWS THAT FIFTEEN BIG VESSELS ARE NOW UNDER CONSTRUCTION

Copies of the new Navy Register for 1906 have been received at the Naval Station. The record is up to January 1 of this year. There was a delay in printing the register.

Considerable interesting information is given in the register. It shows that the United States Navy is rapidly becoming stronger. There are now twelve first-class battleships and four first-class cruisers in commission. There are fifteen battleships building, eight of which are of 16,000 tons, five of 15,000 tons and two of 13,000 tons each. Seven first-class vessels including battleships and cruisers, are to go into commission this year.

**GOOD BOOKS TO READ.**  
Long Day and Conquest of Canaan at A. B. Arleigh's Stationers, Fort and Hotel Streets.  
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## BABBITT IS STILL TRYING ANNUAL MEETING OF KIHAI COMPANY

HOPES TO BE ABLE TO GET SOME MORE MONEY FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

"We have not given up," said Superintendent Babbitt of the Department of Public Instruction this morning, referring to the efforts of his department to get more funds for schools. "I have not yet received officially the news that the supervisors have decided that they can not help us, but of course have heard of their decision. As to what we are doing, I cannot give out any information at present, but I can say that the matter is not being dropped."

"I hope that public spirit will help us to do something. Just how the difficulty is to be met I cannot say, but I hope for some results."

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